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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO

**RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT/** 

**ELECTION REQUIREMENT** 

**UNDER 35 USC 121 AND 372** 

EXAMINER

Robert B. MONDESI

GROUP ART UNIT

TITLE OF APPLICATION

NOVEL CENTROSOME-ASSOCIATED PROTEIN AND APPLICATIONS THEREOF

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction/Election Requirement of February 1, 2007,

Applicants provisionally elect with traverse to prosecute claims 56 and 58 (Group XV).

Consistent with this provisional election, Applicants respectfully request rejoinder of claims 38 and 57, and further provisionally elect with traverse the species SEQ ID No: 1.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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